GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS
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Decline in Price of Fertilizer
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Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

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(a) whether the prices of fertilizers have declined in the country and if so, the details thereof;

(b) the details of direct benefits to the farmers of the country as a result thereof; and

(c) whether the food production is likely to increase on account of decline in the prices of fertilizers and if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERILIZERS, SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI MANSUKH L. MANDAVIYA)

(a): As the prices of P&K fertilizers have come down in the International market, the fertilizer companies have reduced the MRP of DAP, MOP and NPK Complex fertilizers by Rs. 2500/MT, Rs. 5000/MT and Rs. 1000/MT respectively.

(b) As the prices have come down, the farmers will get DAP, MOP and NPK Complex fertilizers at a cheaper rate.

(c) The reduction in MRP of DAP, MOP and NPK Complex fertilizers lead to more balanced use of fertilizers which would in turn have positive impact on food production in the country.
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